

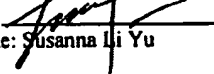
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Dear Sir:

Please consider this paper in response to the Office Action dated December 14, 2005.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

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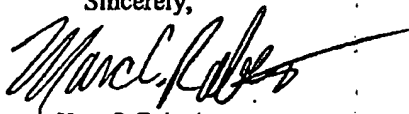
Re: Refund Request for Independent Claims in Excess of Three -and- Claims in Excess of Twenty
U.S. Patent Application 10/678,955
Attorney Docket 117P1835US01

Dear Sir or Madam:

Please allow this letter to serve as a request for refund of the Independent Claims in Excess of Three Fee (\$200) and the Claims in Excess of Twenty Fee (\$50), both for the above-referenced application. We were charged \$250 on 3/27/06 to our Deposit Account #220261 but our records indicate this was done in error as this is not our case. Included with a copy of the page of our Deposit Account Statement showing the charge in error circled, is a copy of a printout from PAIR showing that this application number belongs to correspondent Ecolab Inc., and not Venable LLP. Therefore, we respectfully request a refund of \$250.

If you should have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,



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